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Tropsch Product Using Petroleum-)
Derived Products)

Group Art Unit: 1764

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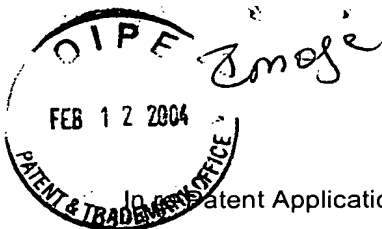
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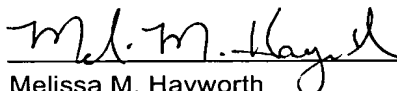
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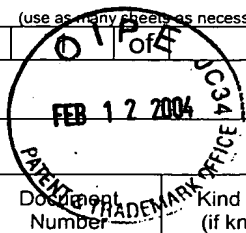
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